

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORIGINAL SIDE

WRIT PETITION NO.3013 OF 1991

Pradeep S. Jain, proprietor,
M/s.Vision Crafters.

Petitioners

vs.

Union of India & ors.

Respondents

Mr.K.R.Bulchandani i/b.M/s.Kamal & Co. for the
petitioners.

Mr.R.V.Desai, Senior Advocate with Mr.H.V.Mehta for the
respondents.

**CORAM : R. M. LODHA &
J. P. DEVADHAR, JJ.**

DATED : 28th April, 2006

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In the light of the fact that the subject goods have already been released pursuant to the interim order dated 4th October, 1991 upon the petitioner executing I.T.C. Bond for 100% C.I.F. value of the goods, we are of the view that merits of the diverse contentions raised in the writ petition need not be examined by us and interest of justice shall be subserved if the respondent no.3 adjudicates and passes an appropriate order.

2. In view thereof, we dispose of the rule by the following order:

(i) The respondent no.3 shall adjudicate the

matter expeditiously and preferably
 within one year from the date of the
 receipt of this order.

(ii) In case the adjudication order is
 adverse to the petitioner, the
 respondent no.3 shall not invoke the
 Bond for a period of 12 weeks from the
 adjudication order.

No costs.

(R.M. LODHA,J.)

(J.P. DEVADHAR,J.)